

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please insert the following paragraph before the first sentence of the application at page 1, line 1:

This application claims the benefit of International Application No. PCT/FI2003/000829 filed on November 6, 2003 under 35 U.S.C. §371, entitled, "Method For The Formation Of A Good Contact Surface On An Aluminum Support Bar And A Support Bar" which claims the benefit of Finnish Patent Application No. 20021993, filed on November 7, 2002.